

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 1989 - SB 2570**

February 9, 2018

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires a prescriber's written recommendation of a controlled substance to be deemed a prescription for the controlled substance for which the prescription must comply with all requirements applicable to controlled substances.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions:

- The proposed legislation will not have a significant impact on the procedures and processes of the health related boards or the Department of Health; therefore, any fiscal impact is estimated to be not significant.
- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 4-29-121, all health related boards are required to be self-supporting over a two-year period. The Board of Pharmacy had an annual surplus of \$885,058 in FY15-16, an annual surplus of \$620,117 in FY16-17, and a cumulative reserve balance of \$2,601,038 on June 30, 2017.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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